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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Takayo KATSUKI et al. Serial-No.: 09/965,538 Filing Date: September 27, 2001 For: SURFACE-MOUNTABLE PTC THERMISTOR AND MOUNTING METHOD THEREOF	Art Unit: 2832 Examiner: K. Easthom
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

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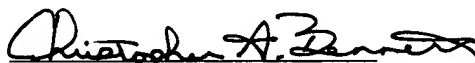
In response to the Restriction Requirement issued on May 24, 2002, Applicants elect Group I, including Claims 1-10 for prosecution in the present application. This election is made without traverse.

Applicants hereby reserve the right to file a Divisional Application to pursue prosecution of the non-elected claims 11-20.

Applicants respectfully submit that this application is in condition for allowance. Favorable consideration and prompt allowance of the present application are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: May 29, 2002


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